## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHWESTERN DIVISION

JAMES CHANEY & TAMELA	)	
CHANEY,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	Civil Action No. CV-13-S-1284-NW
	)	
JP MORGAN CHASE BANK,	)	
N.A.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

## MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

This action is before the court on the parties' joint motion to extend<sup>1</sup> for a period of ninety days the stay entered by this court on July 12, 2013.<sup>2</sup> The initial stay entered by this court is scheduled to expire on October 10, 2013.<sup>3</sup> As grounds for the motion for extension of that stay, the parties state that their efforts have been focused on reaching a resolution of this matter since the entry of this court's July 12, 2013 order.<sup>4</sup> Even so, those efforts include the time-consuming process of submitting and reviewing a loan modification application; and, as such, the parties request additional time to complete the analysis of the loan modification application, and to negotiate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See doc. no. 10 (Joint Motion to Extend Stay).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See doc. no. 9 (Memorandum Opinion and Order).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> *Id*.

 $<sup>^4</sup>$  Doc. no. 10 (Joint Motion to Extend Stay)  $\P$  3.

towards a potential settlement of the case.<sup>5</sup> Upon consideration, the motion to extend the stay is GRANTED in part and DENIED in part. It is ORDERED that all proceedings in this matter are stayed for a period of forty-five days from October 10, 2013. NO FURTHER EXTENSIONS SHALL BE GRANTED.

DONE and ORDERED this 7th day of October, 2013.

United States District Judge